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## **LISTING OF CLAIMS**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

- 1. (Currently Amended) A collapsible container, manufactured <u>in one piece</u> through injection-molding from plastic, <u>said container</u> having <u>sidewalls</u>, a <u>bottom and</u> integrated hinges, wherein the sidewalls are pivotally connected to each other and to the bottom <u>via said integrated hinges</u> and wherein at least two sidewalls of the container are foldable.
- 2. (Currently Amended) A collapsible container according to claim 1, comprising provided with a bottom, and at least two first sidewalls arranged opposite each other and two second sidewalls arranged opposite each other, the first and second walls being connected to the bottom via first hinging elements, while each time, a first sidewall being is connected to the a second sidewalls sidewall by at least a second hinging element, and wherein the in at least two first sidewalls comprise third hinging elements are provided, such that the first sidewalls can be folded together at least partly and the second sidewalls can be pivoted in the direction of the bottom for folding up the container.
- 3. (Currently Amended) A collapsible container according to claim 2 +, wherein in the first sidewalls, by second hinging elements and third hinging elements, substantially triangular wall surfaces are bounded in the first sidewalls by the second and third hinging elements.
- 4. (Currently Amended) A collapsible container according to claim 3, wherein at least one fourth hinging element is provided in the first sidewalls between the second hinging elements, the fourth hinging element extending, with the container in an expanded folded out condition, approximately at right angles to the bottom surface, and wherein at least two of the third hinging elements extend extending from near an the intersection between the bottom surface and the fourth or a third hinging element, the third hinging elements defining which include an angle with said bottom and said fourth hinging element and extending extend at

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least to a point near the adjacent second hinging element, <u>and wherein the while</u> fourth hinging elements located in the oppositely located first sidewalls are interconnected by a fifth hinging element located in the bottom.

- 5. (Original) A collapsible container according to claim 4, wherein in each first wall one fourth hinging element is provided, while two third hinging elements extend in opposite directions from the intersection of the bottom surface and the respective fourth hinging element, such that the respective first sidewall comprises at least one substantially triangular first wall surface on both sides of the fourth hinging element, enclosed by a second hinging element and a first hinging element or a fourth hinging element, while, moreover, on both sides of the fourth hinging element a second wall surface is provided, at least bounded by the respective fourth hinging element and a third hinging element.
- 6. (Original) A collapsible container according to claim 5, wherein each first wall surface is substantially an equilateral triangle.
- 7. (Withdrawn) A collapsible container according to claim 5, wherein each second wall surface is substantially a quadrangle and in particular has a trapezium-shape.
- 8. (Previously Presented) A collapsible container according to claim 5, wherein each first and each second wall surface is substantially triangular, in particular in the shape of an equilateral triangle.
- 9. (Currently Amended) A collapsible container according to claim <u>3</u> +, wherein in the bottom at least a fifth hinging element is included, which substantially extends along a line between fourth hinging elements <u>provided in the first sidewalls</u> and/or intersections between <u>the</u> third hinging elements and <u>the</u> first hinging elements.
- 10. (Currently Amended) A collapsible container according to claim 9, wherein in the bottom surface contiguous to the first hinging element, at the first sidewalls, two first bottom surfaces are bounded each by a sixth hinging element, the respective first hinging

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element and the fifth hinging element, the two first bottom surfaces being portions of the bottom.

- 11. (Original) A collapsible container according to claim 10, wherein the first bottom surfaces are substantially triangular, in particular have the shape of an equilateral triangle.
- 12. (Previously Presented) A collapsible container according to claim 9, wherein near each first sidewall, in the bottom, two first bottom surfaces are provided, each bounded by at least a sixth hinging element, which sixth hinging elements intersect at an intersection on the line along which the fifth hinging element substantially extends, while between the thus formed two intersections a part of the fifth hinging element is located.
- 13. (Currently Amended) A collapsible container according to claim 1, wherein at least a number of hinging elements are living hinges, the hinging elements being at least liquid-tight, the arrangement being such that the container, at least in <u>an expanded folded out position</u>, can contain liquid.
- 14. (Currently Amended) A collapsible container according to claim 1, wherein at least a number of hinging elements are film hinges, the hinging elements being at least liquid-tight, the arrangement being such that the container, at least in <u>an expanded folded out</u> condition, can contain liquid.
  - 15. (Canceled)
  - 16. (Canceled)
- 17. (Currently Amended) A collapsible container according to claim <u>2</u> +, wherein the first and second <u>sidewalls</u> are foldable such that they remain within the contours of the bottom.

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18. (Withdrawn – Currently Amended) A collapsible container according to claim 1, wherein the bottom is somewhat convex, at least truncated cone or pyramid shaped in the direction of the inside space of the container in an expanded folded-out condition.

- 19. (Canceled)
- 20. (Canceled)
- 21. (Canceled)
- 22. (New) A collapsible container according to claim 2, wherein the first sidewalls, the second sidewalls and the bottom comprise rigid panels, and wherein the first and second hinging elements are defined by creases connecting the rigid panels, and wherein the third hinging elements are defined by creases formed in the first sidewalls.